TAFT REFUTES JUDGE PARKER

SHOWS GLARING INACCURACIES IN HIS PHILIPPINE SPEECH.

Parker's 200,000 Lives Lost Reduced to 21,216-Instead of the Trade of the Island Being Embarrassed It Has Doubled Under American Control.

ITHACA. N. Y., Oct. 26. Secretary Taft spoke here to-night at the biggest political meeting of the season. More people were turned away from the Lyceum Theatre, where the meeting was held, than gained admission. Fifteen hundred Cornell students marched from the campus to the theatre, this being the first student demonstration in the campaign. Secretary Taft referred in his introductory speech particularly to the seventy-five gray-haired members of the Frémont Club, of which Mr. White himself is a member, who occupied the platform. Mr. Taft confined his address entirely to a refutation of Judge Parker's statements regarding the Philippine Islands. secretary Taft first takes up the state-

ment of Judge Parker that we have wasted 200,000 lives in the Philippines and says that this is quite as far from the truth as his statement of the cost of the islands to the United States. In the six years ended June 30, 1904, says Mr. Taft, and including the year ended June 30, 1899, there were killed of the American army 1,087, and there died from disease and other causes 5,264. But including the losses of the insurgents as well, which is estimated by American officers at 15,365, the total would be only 21,916. Many thousands of natives have been carried off by diseases to which the islands are periodically subject, but, says Mr. Taft, "Judge Parker has been led far afield from the judicial attitude which he wishes to have it understood that he occupies in charging the United States or the present Philippine Government with responsibility for these dreadful disasters to the islands. They have been tremendous burdens upon our administration in the archipelago, and the

administration in the archipelago, and the wonder is that, with the unusual health measures which it was necessary to enforce and with the suffering that the people have had to undergo in view of these disasters, tranquillity has been maintained."

Mr. Taft then takes up the statement of Judge Parker that the business interests of the islands have been embarrassed at every turn by the legislation of the islands and that the shipping interests have been strangled, and gives official figures which show a doubling of the total trade of the islands under the American administration and an increase of more than 300 per cent. and an increase of more than 300 per cent in the trade between the islands and the United States. As to the shipping of the islands, the figures show that the number of vessels entering the Philippine Islands and leaving them is three times as many now as it was in 1894, and the increase in tonnage is even in greater proportion.

Mr. Taft refutes other statements of
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were covered by Gov. Wright's cable message, and in conclusion says:
Judge Parker reiterates that he proposes to extend independence to the Filipinos as soon as they are prepared for it. He does not say how he intends to prepare them for it, nor does he manifest in what respect they are lacking. He foreshadows no policy in governing the Filipinos whatever. The condition of ignorance that prevails in the islands, with 90 per cent. of the people uneducated, requires effort to prepare them properly for self-government, but he treats the matter of the needed preparation and the abandonment of the islands as lightly as if it could be some with the turning of the hand.

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What does he propose to do with the Moros? What does he propose to do with the non-Christian tribes? There are half a million of Moros in the southern part of the archipelago, and there are a half a million non-Christian tribes in all the mountain districts of all the islands. The Moro hates the Filipino as he hates the devil, and the non-Christian tribes in the mountains are constantly in fear of oppression from the Filipinos because of their previous experience. Now does he propose to hand over to Aguinaldo's government the non-Christian tribes? Does he propose to hand over a half million Moros to the government of Aguinaldo and bring about a continued race war which will devastate the southern part of the archipelago?

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Would it not be a little more conservative and statesmanlike to investigate these conditions which meet one at the threshold in seeking the independence of the islands and frame some practicable policy, instead of attacking a government which has been built up by the greatest effort and which has been carried to its present successful existence by a considerate and humane policy?

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I do not care to argue again the question whether it would be wise now to promise the Filipinos independence. Certainly Judge Parker has shown such lamentable ignorance of the conditions in the islands that his conclusion that independence ought to be promised is based on no sound foundation. I merely reiterate the fact that a promise of this sort will be construed by the natives to mean a promise of immediate independence. It will paralyze the hands of the conservatives who are now assisting in the government. It will put all power over the easily moved people into the hands of the violent and unscrupulous, the former military officers compesing Aguinado's government, and if the promise is made and not compiled with in the near future by the abandonment of the islands there is danger of another disturbance and another guerrilla war, with all the troubles that are attendant upon them.

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Judge Parker is following exactly the course of the Democratic leaders since the Philippines came into our hands. They have obstructed in every way the doing of good to the people of the islands. They sought to indict the army as a whole for the campagin of cruelty against the natives, and now their representative is misled into a campaign of slander against the civil employees of the government. For two years Democratic leaders in Congress and the anti-imperialists kept up the guerrilla warfare by their unmeasured and unpatriotic attacks upon the policy of the Administration, and they are chargeable with the loss of treasure and life that occurred thereby. It is hoped that the result of this election will teach them the folly, from the standpoint of the mere politician, of pursuing such a course.

During his stay in Ithaca, Secretary

During his stay in Ithaca, Secretary Taft was the guest of President Schurman of Cornell University, who was the chairman of the first Philippine Commission.

SAME M'ALLISTER, But Catiline New Stalks Through That Prose

McAllister of Mississippi, delegate to St. Louis, who came up here to see Judge Parker before he was nominated, and who was full then of a beautiful optimism and a sample platform, has come back and sent the following cheerless letter to the Hon. Tom Taggart, Democratic national

My DEAR SIR-I returned from the South

regret that my Southern contribution plan has been almost barren of results, because of the general apathy and indifference in the of the general apathy and indifference in the south, arising from the dissensions in the Democratic organization generally and especially in the management of the Democratic campaign in this city.

Mr. Belmont's supposed connection with the campaign committee and the general belief that he would be a dominant factor in shaping the policy of Judge Parker in the event of his election has proven fatal to us so far as raising campaign funds on the scale I hoped when I agreed to undertake it.

It is a regrettable fact that Mr. Belmont, so far as he could influence the policy of your committee, has proscribed the men who above all others in the South contributed the most to Judge Parker's nomination. I have spent the greater part of the past six years in "reorganizing" our party so as to tree it from the baneful influence of Bryansm, and now I propose to devote my efforts to a second "reorganization" so as to purge the farty of the plighting curse of Belmont-Book Trustism, wholesale bribery, Cataline marplotism! and the ascendency of the marplotism! and the ascendency of the bemocratic party.

You have a letter of indorsement of my-

Democratic party. In the councils of the period of the you have a letter of indorsement of my-self from Senator Arthur P. Gorman—also one from Senator E. W. Carmack of Tennessee which you will do me the kindness to forward to the Normandie Hotel, this city. Yours very truly. WILLIAM S. MCALLISTER.

HIGGINS NOT ODELL'S CHOICE? Republicans Wonder Why It Took Then So Long to Find That Out.

Republicans with good red blood in their veins asked unpleasant questions at the Fifth Avenue Hotel yesterday concerning the interview which Mr. Higgins, Governor-Chairman Odell's candidate for Governor handed out the day before, which the Governor-Chairman solemnly announced to e a correct statement about Mr. Higgin's candidacy.

The curious Republicans wanted to know what explanation Governor-Chairman Odel could now make of his course in sending out thousands upon thousands of autograph letters all over the State to Republicans who refuse to vote for Mr. Higgins, asking for an explanation of the independent course of these Republicans. If Mr. Higwas introduced by Andrew D. White, who gins is not Governor-Chairman Odell's candidate for Governor, why does he send out these letters to the recalcitrant Republicans? was one of the questions asked. If Mr. Higgins is not the Governor-Chairman's candidate for Governor why should he make such a personal matter of Mr. Higgins's election? was another of the questions. Still another question was Why did Mr. Higgins wait until thirty days after Governor-Chairman Odell's convenion adjourned at Saratoga before attemptng to say that he was not Governor-Chairman Odell's candidate for Governor? In fact, those Republicans at the hotel

> NEW HALL AT DARTMOUTH. Earl of Dartmouth Lays the Cornerstone of the Building.

were walking interrogation points.

HANOVER, N. Y., Oct. 26.-William Heneage Legge, sixth Earl of Dartmouth, laid the cornerstone of new Dartmouth Hall this afternoon before nearly 3,000 alumni, invited guests and students of the New Hampshire college. This morning at 10 o'clock the historical exercises were held in the college church. Dr. Tucker, president of the college, conferred upon the Earl of Dartmouth the honorary degree of doctor

At these same exercises Lord Dartmouth presented to the college the correspondence relating to the establishment and support of the college which passed between his predecessor, the second Earl of Dartmouth and Eleazar Wheelock, the founder of the college. The exercises attendant upon

college. The exercises attendant upon the laying of the cornerstone were held in the college church at 2 o'clock this afternoon, on account of the rain. Charles F. Mathewson of New York of the class of '82 delivered the address, and Wilder Dwight Quint of Boston delivered an ode.

The Farl of Dartmouth thanked the college for the hearty welcome which the members of his family had received here. The audience then left the church and marched to the tomb of Eleazar Wheelook, where President Tucker delivered a short eulogy on the first president of the college.

The march was then resumed direct to the site of new Dartmouth Hall. Here Bishop Ethelbert Talbot of central Pennsylvania offered the prayer of dedication. The Earl of Dartmouth then stepped forward and with a silver trowel laid the cornerstone as the derrick lowered it into

perstone as the derrick lowered it into On the stone is a tablet leaving this inscription:
"Dartmouth Hall—Erected 1784-1791; destroyed by fire Feb. 18, 1904. Rebuilt by the alumni 1904-05. Cornerstone laid by the sixth Earl of Dartmouth Oct. 26, 1904. This tablet cast from metal of old college

This evening there was a big dinner in honor of the day.

NEW PRESIDENT OF TRINITY. Dr. Flavel S. Luther Inaugurated—Has Been Professor of Mathematics.

HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 26 .- Dr. Flavel S. Luther was inaugurated president of Trinity College to-day. The first exercise of the day was the academic procession at 8 o'clock this morning. In this several dignitaries of the Episcopal Church in America took part. This was followed by the academic procession at 10 o'clock, forming at the Hunt Memorial and Hartford Club on Prospect street, and marching ford Club on Prospect street, and marching to Parsons Theatre, where the inauguration ceremonies were begun at 10:30 o'clook. The chief marshal in the academic procession was Col. Jacob L. Greene of this city. In the procession were the trustees, the official guests, the fellows, faculty, alumni and undergraduates.

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Trinity College was founded in 1824 in order that the Episcopal Church in America might have a representative collegiate institution to correspond with those of other religious denominations of the East. It opened with nine students and two small buildings. Bishop Brownell was the first president, 1824-1830.

Dr. Flavel S. Luther was elected president last April and formally assumed the presidential duties at the beginning of the school year last month. He was born in Brooklyn, Conn., in 1850, and is a Trinity graduate of the class of '70. He was formerly professor of astronomy and mathematics in Kenyon College and was later Seabury professor of mathematics in Trinity. For many years he has been consulting engineer for large manufactories. He is one of the first professors of mathematics to be president of an Eastern college.

FOR "PARSIFAL" NEXT WEEK. Cast for the First Two Performances of

Col. Savage's English Version. Henry W. Savage announced yesterday the casts for the first two performances of "Parsifal," to be given next Monday and Tuesday evenings.
On Monday the distribution of rôles

will be as follows: Kundry, Mme. Kirkby Lunn; Parsifal, Alols Pennarini; Amforias, Johannes Bischoff; Gurnemanz, Putnam Griswold; Klingsor, J. Parker Coombs: Titurel, Robert Kent Parker; A Voice, Miss Florence Wickham. Mr. Rothwell will conduct.

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On Tuesday Hanna Mara will sing Kundry, Francis Maciennan Parsifal, Franz Eglnieff Gurnemans, and Homer Lind Kingser.

The company will leave Boston on Saturday night on a special train. The scenery will be put in place on Sunday, and Monday will be devoted to rehearsals.

Alois Pennarini, who has been so successful as Parsifal, has been engaged by Mr. Savage for the season. The sale of seats yesterday was the largest ever known in the history of a theatrical enterprise in this city. Many of the seats were sold for the fourth week of the season.

News of Plays and Players. Nearly 400 Southerners kept "Southern Night" at the Fourteenth Street Theatre last night. "Texas" was the play.

Charles Wyndham and Mary Moore are expected to-day from England. They will open at the Lyceum at the close of Mrs. open at the Lyceum at the close of ares. Gilbert's engagement.

Mrs. Leslie Carter will sail for Europe on Saturday. She is going to Paris to procure costumes for the new play in which she will be seen at the Belasco Theatre after David Warfield's engagement in "The Musica Master."

Movements of Naval Vessels. WASHINGTON, Oct. 26 .- The torpedo boat

Music Master.

destroyers Bainbridge, Barry, Chauncey Dale and Decatur sailed to-day from Hong Dale and Decatur sailed to-day from Hong Kong for Cavite. The cruiser Baltimore sailed yesterday from Colombo for Singapore. The torpedo boat destroyer Perry has sailed from Santa Barbara for San Francisco. The colliers Lebanon and Hannibal are at Bradford, the torpedo boat destroyer Truxtun at Annapolis, the gunboat Scorpion and tug Nezinecot at Portsmouth, N. H., and the gunboat Yankton at Boston.

CARTER HARRISON IN A RUSH.

SEES SHEEHAN AND PARKER AND FLIES BACK TO CHICAGO.

Story That the Sinews of War Go With Him, Personally Conducted—Hardly Hopes to Get the Judge to Make a Speech in Chicago: but You Can't Be Certain.

Mayor Carter H. Harrison of Chicago made another flerce rush to New York yesterday. He was summoned, he said, by William F. Sheehan, chairman of the Democratic national executive committee, to discuss the situation in Illinois. Mr. Harrison was with Mr. Sheehan from the time of his arrival at 9:30 A.M. until 3 P. M., when he went to the Seville to see Judge Parker. He was with the Presidential candidate half an hour.

"Did you ask Judge Parker to go to Chicago to speak?" was inquired. "That's for the Judge to say," said Mr. Harrison. "But I haven't much hope that he will go.

"What is the situation in Illinois?" "I excect Judge Parker will carry the "I ex; ect Judge Parker will carry the State." was the dutiful answer. "The Republicans out there who are going to vote for Roosevelt are saying so. There are thousands who are saying nothing." Mr. Harrison fied for the 5:30 P. M. train as though he feared John P. Hopkins would have Cook County bottled up before he could get back. It was reported about national headquarters that Mr. Harrison had been authorized to distribute whatever money will be used in his county and that the sinews for the rest of Illinois will go to Hopkins and Roger Sullivan. No tin boves were visible on the Mayor's person, however.

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Relative to the suggestion of a Parker speech in Chicago, it was said at the Seville last night that Judge Parker has no idea of going West at all.

"Don't be too sure," said a Parkerite "The Judge has shown that he can change his mind. It wouldn't surprise me if he addressed a large and enthusiastic audience in Calveston on election eve."

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Some of Judge Parker's callers yesterday were William F. Sheehan, Senator McCarren, Louis Ehrich, Frank H. Mott, ex-Mayor Dillon of New Rochelle, James K. Jones, ex-Sheriff Grell and Everett V. Abbott. Mr. Abbott led the Judge in triumph to the Reform Club for dinner.

FIRST WEEK OF THE OPERA.

'Alda" to Open the Metropolitan Season -"Parsifal" on Thanksgiving Day. Heinrich Conried announced yesterday the répertoire for the first week of the

Metropolitan Opera House. On Monday, Nov. 21, "Alda" will be sung with Mmes. Eames and Walker and MM. Caruso, Scotti and Plançon. Signor Vigna will conduct and some of the ballets usually

omitted will be restored.
On Wednesday "L'Elisir d'Amore" will be sung by Mme. Sembrich and MM. Caruso, Scotti and Rossi. Scotti and Rossi.

The first performance of "Parsifal" will be given on Thanksgiving Day. The performance, as usual, will begin at 5:30 o'clock. The cast will comprise Mmes. Nordica and Jacoby and MM. Burgstaller, Van Rooy, Goritz, Blas and Journet. On Friday "Carmen" will be sung by Mmes. Fremstad and Ackté and MM. Saleza and Journet.

Journet.

"Don Pasquale" will be sung at the Saturday matinée by Mme. Sembrich and MM. Dippel, Scotti and Rossi, followed by "Coppelia," in which Enrico Varari will dance. On Saturday evening Mme. Eames will appear. In the popular Saturday evening performances this year Mr. Conried intends always to have one of the stars.

Philipp-Ballard.

Miss Grace Kimball Ballard and Philip Bernard Philipp were married yesterday afternoon at the Church of the Heavenly Rest, Fifth avenue and Forty-fifth street. There was an elaborate display of flowers in the church. The Rev. Dr. D. Parker Morgan performed the ceremony, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Gates of Boston. The bride was given away by her father, Frederick E. Ballard, and attended by her sister, Miss Helen G. Bailard, as maid of honor. The bridesmaids were the Misses Olive Hitchbridesmaids were the Misses Olive Hitch-cock, Mabel C. Welsh, Josephine Kelly, Blanche Spadone, Marion de Wolf Tracy of Oswego and Margaret Weissenger of Louisville.

Dr. Ferdinand Wilcox was best man and James R. Knapp, Arthur Gotthold, Frederick Paimer, Edward Cook, Milton Hitch-cock and A. C. Beardsall of Boston were ushers.

The bride wore white satin made Princess The bride wore white satin made Princess fashion, with a transparent yoke and point lace berthe fastened with a diamond brooch. The sleeves were of lace, tight at the wrist. Her point lace vell was caught at one side of the coiffure with a spray of orange blosoms and she carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ballard gave a reception at their home, 21 West Seventy-sixth street.

Miss Virguia Belle Tolar was married yesterday afternoon to Robert Edward Henry at the residence of her father, John Robert Tolar, Shore road and Ninety-fifth street, Bay Ridge. The bridegroom is a son of Buchanan Henry of Annapolis and grandnephew of President James Buchanan, and is a banker and member of the New York firm of Hallowell & Henry. The Rev. M. E. Harlan officiated.

Miss Sarah Virginia Tolar and John R. Tolar, Sd. a niece and nephew of the bride, acted as flower girl and page. Miss Helen Burns and Mrs. Charles T. Coggeshall were maid and matron of honor. The bridesmaids were the Misses Hart, Simmons, Anderson, Barnes, Almirall and Atkinson. William C.A. Henry was the best man and Sldney M. Henry, Morgan Davis, Thomas Jewett Hallowell, Charles H. Blair, Morris U. Ely and John Robert Tolar, Jr., were the ushers. Among the guests present were Dr. and Mrs. Frank Anderson, U. S. N.; Col. and Mrs. Henry M. Adams, U. S. A.; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cassatt, Col. and Mrs. Joel B. Erhardt, Mrs. Albert Gallatin, the Misses Gallatin, Gen. and Mrs. F. P. Freeman, Gen. John R. Myrick, U. S. A.; Mr. and Mrs. T. and Mrs. Jacob Wendell, Mr. and Mrs. William R. Morgan, Mrs. E. H. Bissell, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coggeshall, Mr. and Mrs. Booth Tarkington. nephew of President James Buchanan, and is a

Lyman-Parker. WASHINGTON, Oct. 26 .- Miss Elizabeth Parcer, daughter of Col. James Parker, U. S. A., and Ronald T. Lyman of Boston were married at Epiphany Church at noon to-day. The at Epiphany Church at noon to-day. The ceremony was performed by Bishop Whitehead of Pittsburg, assisted by the Rev. Dr. McKim, rector of the church. Miss Eleanor Parker acted as maid of honor to her sister and the bridesmalds were Miss Mabel Lyman, sister of the groom: Miss Christine Roosevelt of New York, Miss Elfreda Roosevelt and Miss Mary Vaughn of Boston, Miss Alice Gordon Parker of Newark, and Miss Alice Gordon Parker of Newark, and Miss Helen Bell of Washington. The ushers were Lieut. Cortlandt Parker, U. S. A., and James R. Parker, brothers of the bride; F. W. Hunnewell 2d, J. Lowell Blake and Malcolm Long of Boston; Edgar Van Winkle of New York and George Bowdoin and George F. Walter of Baltimore. A reception followed at the home of the bride's parents.

Pitcher-Mears.

Miss Cora Mears and James Robertson Miss Cora Mears and James Robertson pitcher, Jr., were married yesterday afternoon in the chantry of Grace Church. The chancel was decorated with white roses and chrysanthemums and the bride wore a gown of white chiffon cloth. There were no bridesmaids, Miss Georgina Pitcher, the bridegroom's sister, who attended her as maid of Johor, was in white broadcloth, with a white felt hat and feathers. honor, was in white broadcioth, with a white felt hat and feathers.

Daniel Buckley of Philadelphia was the best man and William Hapbt of this city and Aubrey H. Martin of Philadelphia were ushers. The Rev. C. M. Ackley officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Otto Mears of 310 West Ninety-fifth street, the bride's parents, gave a reception after the ceremony.

Cunningham-Crawford.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 26.—Miss Edna Craw-ford, daughter of Ralph A. Crawford of this city, and Atkins B. Cunningham, an attorney city, and Atkins B. Cunningnam, an attorney
of New York city, were married to-night at
the Mount Auburn Presbyterian Church.
Miss Crawford at one time was a student at a
dramatic school in New York. She sued
several firms in New York for using her picture
on advertising matter without her consent.
Her father is chief of the detective department of this city. WAR ON IMPURE WHISKEY.

Fraud Order Against Firms Advertising Recipes for Making It "Dirt Cheap." WASHINGTON, Oct. 26 .- Dr. Wiley, Chief Chemist of the Department of Agriculture, is receiving the support of another branch of the Government in his crusade against doctored Scotch and other impure whiskeys which he alleges now enter the channels of trade and are sold over the bars of the best saloons, hotels and clubs in the country Judging from an announcement made at the Post Office Department to-day, Postmaster-General Wynne proposes to take a hand in the matter. He issued an order debarring John F. Watts, Watts & Company, Watts & Watts, Watts & Watts Liquor Company and B. Watts, doing business at Braeme, Holly Springs, Pontotoc and Tupelo, Miss., and at Fort Smith, Ark. and Muldrow, I. T., from the use of the United States mails.

These firms, all conducted by the Watts brothers, claimed that they were in possession of recipos which would enable every household to make superior brands of whiskey without the use of a still, and at a cost that looked attractive to the thirsty. Here are some samples of the Watts advertisements which attracted the eye of the law officer of the Post Office Department:

Whiskey-Any kind made dirt cheap without a still. Receipt free. Watts, Braeme, out a still. Receipt free. Watts, Brawne, Miss.
Whiskey Friend—Send \$1 at once for our ten whiskey recipes, and we will send you enough of our ingredients to help you fix up three or five gallons of our whiskey. We make you this offer because we are anxious to get you started making something that is fit to drink. Your whiskey friends, Watts & Watts Liquor Company.

The various firms of the Wattres were cited to show cause why the use of the mails should not be denied them. The inspectors reported that the citation could not be delivered by reason of the imprisonment of John F. Watts and the failure of the other interested parties to calling the mail

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According to the Post Office officials, many persons fell easy victims to the plan of Watts Brothers, who represented that in consideration of the payment of \$1 they would furnish the remitter with ten newly discovered recipes for making whiskey at a cost of 25 cents a gallon, "which will in all material respects equal the quality and flavor of the finest whiskeys, and furnish enough of our ingredients to help you fix enough of our ingredients to help you fix up three or five gallons of our whiskey." The department memorandum says that the compound obtained from following the recipes is not in any respect whiskey, nor does it in any sense correspond with the whiskey which the company represents can be produced from following their recipes. The ingredients furnished "to help fix up three or; five gallons of our whiskey" are absolutely incompable of producing any are absolutely incapable of producing any

are absolutely incapable of producing any such product.

A fraud order denying the use of the mails to the Seaside Villa Homes Company and the Twilliger Van Smith Company of New York City was issued by Postmaster-General Wynne to-day. This firm was engaged in exploiting what the inspectors called "wild and worthless land" on Long Island. Its answer to the citation of the department to show cause was unsatisdepartment to show cause was unsatis-factory, and the scheme was declared to be in violation of the postal laws. Accordingly a fraud order was issued.

DR. WILEY'S BAN ON WHISKEY It Brings Him Letters From Distillers and Tipplers, Including Lew Wallace.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.-The statemen ecently made by Chief Chemist Wiley of the Department of Agriculture, that & per cent. of whiskey on sale in the United States is doctored, to-day brought him a letter from the head of one of the largest distilling and rectifying firms in the country, which in part says:

The rectifiers of this country pay into the United States Treasury more than \$130,000,000 annually. Thep do more than any other industry to support the Government of the United States. It will be found that your policy is shortsighted and inimical to the Government interests, and we believe that you have outlived your usefulness.

Other rectifiers have also called him to account for the statement, and he is also receiving hundreds of inquiries from every port of the country regarding his statement. Most of them are in the form of inquiries as to where really pure whiskey can be obtained. In addition to those from individuals, these requests come from clubs. dividuals, these requests come f rom clubs, hotels, hospitals, asylums, &c. One which came to-day is from Gen. Lew Wallace, the author of "Ben Hur" and "The Prince of India," which reads:

of India, "which reads:

DEAR DR. WILEY: Won't you be good enough to tell me where and of whom I can get some really pure rye whiskey? I am in need of a supply of the article, not for merchandise, but to put in down in my cellar for my own use and that of my friends, that is, of course, if there is any such thing as "pure rye whiskey." You may smile, doctor, but an address which will enable me to secure the article will be a very substantial favor. Very truly yours,

LEW WALLACE.

Dr. Wiley of course does not recommend any particular brand, but advises his in-quirers to take in preference any whiskey bottled in bond under Government super-

bottled in bond under Government super-vision. To some inquirers, personal friends, Dr. Wiley has added:

If I could only talk I'd tell you things about this particular subject that would make your hair curl, and that would remake your hair curl, and that would result either in your becoming a total abstainer, or else in demanding affidavits from the distiller, the bottler, the retailer and the Government revenue officer aller every bottle you p urchased.

PARKER'S OLD HOME DECORATED. Every Window Had a Roosevelt Picture Until His Mother Interceded.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.-News comes from Cortland, N. Y., where Judge Parker was born, that the zealous partisans who have been making pilgrimages to the house in which he first saw the light of day have been greatly angered and even shocked to find every window in the front of the building decorated with Roosevelt portraits. The house and the farm on which it stands are still owned by Mrs. Parker, mother of the Democratic candidate, but the present tenant is an ardent supporter of his opponent, and, exercising his right as a free American citizen, showed his enthusiasm by placing in each window of the house a

arge poster picture of Roosevelt.

This was done early in the summer. shortly after the Chicago convention, and shortly after the Chicago convention, and since then, until a few days ago, they have annoyed the Democrats of the town, and even to a greater degree those of the faithful who have gone there to visit the birthplace of their candidate. The tenant turned a deaf ear to all persuasive efforts directed toward the removal of the pictures until a few days ago, when Mrs. Parker went to Cortland to look after her property and he yielded to her entreaties. The posters were accordingly removed, but the tenant maintains his political allegiance.

COAST WIRELESS STATIONS. The Apparatus on the Nantucket Lightship

to Be in Operation by To-morrow. WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.-By next Friday the wireless teleraph apparatus on the Nantucket lightship is expected to be in regular operation under direction of the Navy Department. From that date it is hoped that communication will be kept up with all passing vessels and that infor-mation of the movements of vessels off shore can be transmitted to the torpedo station at Newport. Both lightships, which relieve each other at Nantucket Shoal, have been equipped with the apparatus. have been equipped with the apparatus. Work is being continued under contract with a German corporation, which will establish a chain of communication from Cape Elizabeth, Maine, to Navesink Highands.

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McManus and Edward Smith, on a charge of getting money from East Side saloon keepers by pretending to be a State excise inspector and a Headquarters detective, came up in the Yorkville police court yester day. On cross-examination one of saloon keepers said he knew that McManus and Smith were fakirs. Lawyer Nugent then moved for the discharge of the men, on the ground that the money had not been given on the representations that the defendants were from the police and excise

departments.

Magistrate Ommen gave the lawyer a week to submit a brief and adjourned the

Detective Wasserman of the Fifth street station informed the Magistrate that he had a warrant for Smith, who had been paroled from Sing Sing prison under the name of Edward Scherpf. His recent arrest cancelled the parole, the detective explained.

AMUSEMENTS,

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